

Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development

Grants to Named Recipients (AS 37.05.316)

Grant Recipient: Alaska Family Services, Inc.

Project Title:

Alaska Family Services, Inc. - Vehicle, Fencing And Furniture for The New Behavioral Health Services Building

State Funding Requested: \$ 50,000

House District: 13 - G

Future Funding May Be Requested

Brief Project Description:

New van for clients' transportation needs, fencing for residential subdivision privacy, and furniture for a growing client base.

Funding Plan:

Total Cost of Project: \$50,000

Funding Secured

Amount FY

Other Pending Requests

Amount FY

Anticipated Future Need

Amount FY

There is no other funding needed

Detailed Project Description and Justification:

The request for capitol funding is described a follows:

The new Behavioral Health Services Treatment Center recently built by Alaska Family Services is located half way between Palmer and Wasilla, Alaska. Many of the clients both youth and adults have transportation needs in order to fulfill their treatment plans. Part of the request for funding is to purchase a new passenger van. The existing one has well over 100,000 miles and is over 10 years old.

The second part of the request is for new furniture for the Treatment Center. Due to expansion into additional behavioral health programs there is a need for furniture for the additional group (treatment rooms) and counselor offices.

Finally, a security fence is needed to separate local residential properties from the Center.

Project Timeline:

2008

Entity Responsible for the Ongoing Operation and Maintenance of this Project:

Alaska Family Services, Inc.

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Has this project been through a public review process at the local level and is it a community priority? Yes No